September 2017

September 24 Peaturing the Music of

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Join us at our home roost, Dock 633 on September 24 for a Hurricane Irma Survival Phlocking! We'll be out on the deck, enjoying the music of M². Mike Reynolds and Mark Snyder partner to bring the best of your Trop Rock favorites. Mike and Mark are from Lake Placid and are available for your private party. Just ask.

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3-6PM

Phlocking!

Enjoy your favorite adult beverages and great food from 3-6 pm. We'll have great prizes and lots of fun!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY, **CHARLOTTE HARBOR PARROT HEADS!**

Daisy, Norma and Alan took a short trip to Port Charlotte to celebrate the 10th birthday of the Charlotte Harbor Parrot Head Club. The Heartland LakeSharks were recognized from the stage as we enjoyed 3 days of music

BACK TO THE HOME ROOST!

from bands like Jack Mosely, The Boat Drunks, Trop Rock Junkies and Southern Drawl Band.



This annual event typically draws more than 200 Parrot Heads from all over the state to enjoy music, partake in Jell-O shot contests and hotel room decorating contests. To be honest, there is a fair amount of drinking taking place, too. The main event takes place in a large tent in the parking lot of the Port Charlotte Days Inn. The pool is generally filled with partiers

and there's almost always some live music on the deck. This year's theme was "Tropical Vacation." Daisy and her guest Elaine both entered the "Tacky Tourist" Costume Party, but no joy ...





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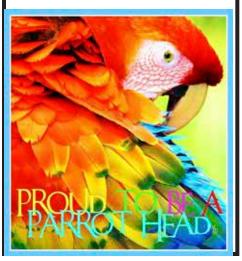
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Irma kinda put a damper on the last LakeShark's business meeting. It would have been nice to have an email meeting later in the month, but many of us didn't have internet and some still don't have power.

We hope you and yours were able to keep your heads above water. Not sure about you, but this Parrot Head doesn't ever want to do that again.

We want to remind you to wear your credentials (name tags) to every Phlocking. Those without name tags will be fined a buck for the donation jar. (Just FYI, we didn't collect a single dollar last month... hope we never have to!) If you haven't received a name tag yet, please remind Linda at the next Phlocking. If you've lost your name tag...be sure to ask her for a new one!

The weighing in of food was a great success and we will continue that for each Phlocking. All the items will be weighed as you check in and your stuff could just be the donation that wins you an additional raffle ticket. Look for more information in this newsletter.

The next business meeting will be at 5:30 PM, Tuesday, October 10th at the Mid-Florida Community Center, Stuart Avenue, Lake Placid. Everyone is welcome to attend with ideas and/or margaritas. Board members who are unable to attend should contact Linda at *woman2blame.lrb@gmail.com*.



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OCTOBER PHLOCKING

TBA...Irma kinda knocked all our planning out the window this month!

Last month we told you to be on the lookout for a Costume Contest in September. So put on your best Parrot Head shirts, shoes, hats, jewelry, anything and head for this month's Phlocking...you could be a winner!

TRIVIA QUESTION

This question will be asked at the next Phlocking...You'll have the answer ready to win!!

> Q. In what city did Jimmy Buffet launch his songwriting career? A. Nashville

HOLIDAY PARTY DECEMBER 16

Details soon! Coming



JIMMY BUFFETT SCHEDULE

Details - www.margaritaville.com

- 9/21-23 La Cigal, Paris, France
- 10/13 Pepsi Live Rogers Arena, Vancouver, BC, Canada
- 10/15 Matthew Knight Arena, Eugene, OR
- 10/19 Bill Graham Civic Auditorium, San Francisco, CA
- 10/21 Mattress Firm Amphitheatre, San Diego, CA



MESSAGE FROM THE EDITOR

Hope everyone survived the wrath of Irma. Are you ready for some football, fellow Parrot



Heads?! Whether you like college, NFL, or both, tailgating is in order! Check this month's recipes for some real winners! As always, we thank everyone who generously volunteers their time and donates items to help local charities. Remember, we need YOU, so if you have any suggestions, or can help support us in any way, please contact Linda at woman2blame. *lrb@gmail.com*

CHEERS! Trisha

CH...CH...CHANGES

From Your Program Committee

If you missed the August Phlocking, here's what you need to know:

FIRST - WEAR YOUR CREDENTIALS!

Members who show up without their credentials will have to put a dollar in the donation jar. Let's ensure visitors will be able to identify us and know who to ask for info. Besides, a lot of us are old and forget...

SECOND - REMEMBER TO BRING NON-PERISHABLES!

We are first and foremost a charitable organization...that's what "Party with a Purpose" means. So let's get charitable! This month, we will weigh all incoming donations (so we know how much we're donating) and you can benefit from this.

Every time the cumulative total of donated goods goes over a 10 pound mark, that person will receive a free ticket for the door prize drawing.

If Linda brings 3 pounds and Norma brings 5 pounds, so far there's 8 pounds. If the next person brings 3 pounds, that means the total goes to 11 pounds, so that person gets a free ticket!

Parrot Heads are smart...so if you work this out, you can earn a free ticket automatically if your donation is more than 10 pounds!





BRING A FRIEND

Guests are always welcome at Phlockings. Why not gather up a group of friends

and come out for a tropical Sunday afternoon? Who knows? Maybe they'd like to join us!

THE BOAT DRINKIN' CRUISE

We are looking for fun-minded cruisers, ages

21 and over, to join us on this high seas adventure the 3rd Annual Parrothead Cruise, featuring



Trop Rock Junkies! We set sail April 14, 2018, on a 6 day cruise out of Miami on the Escape, Norwegian Cruise Line's newest ship. Ports of call include Georgetown, Grand Cayman, Ocho Rios, Jamaica, and Nassau, Bahamas. All reservations include the V.I.P Pass only when booked through Cruise Planners/Lisa Simons.

V.I.P. PASS EXCLUSIVE EXTRAS

- FREE Beverage package plus beverage service fees (Value of beverage package \$474 pp person & beverage service fee \$85.32 pp value = \$559.32 PER PERSON VALUE!)
- TROP ROCK JUNKIES- Trop Rock Junkies were nominated by the Trop Rock Music Association for the 2016 Band of the Year. Lead vocalist Steve Tolliver was named TRMA 2014 Songwriter of the Year.
- PARROT HEAD OLYMPICS- Fun, games, and high jinx with prizes & medals awarded to the gold, silver, and bronze teams. (VALUE PRICELESS!)
- WIN MONEY OR PRIZES- 50/50 raffle with half of proceeds to charity. The other half to the winner.
- * BOAT DRINKIN' BASH- Meet your Parrot Heads, while in costume, tailgating attire & trop wear! (A \$25 PER PERSON VALUE!)

Motorcoach service available. Current prices starting at \$936.89 per person. VIP Pass, taxes, and port fees included in cost. Contact for availability & pricing:

Cruise Planners/ Lisa Simons -224-241-1373 lisa.simons@cruiseplanners.com

CROCKPOT TAILGATE SAUSAGE DIP

1 lb. ground spicy pork or turkey sausage
 1 - 10 oz. can diced tomato and green chilies, drained
 1 - 15 oz. can white corn, drained
 1 - 8 oz. package cream cheese, cut into chunks
 1 cup shredded sharp cheddar cheese
 Fritos or Tostitos Scoops

Cook sausage in a large skillet, stirring until meat crumbles and is no longer pink; drain well.

Mix sausage, diced tomato and green chilies, corn, cream cheese and cheddar cheese together and pour into crockpot. Heat on low until melted, then set on warm and serve with Fritos or Scoops. Go team!



FROZEN AVOCADO MARGARITA

2 cups crushed ice
6 fluid ounces tequila
4 fluid ounces lime juice
2 fluid ounces triple sec
1 avocado - peeled, pitted and diced
1 sprig fresh cilantro
coarse salt to taste

Place the ice, tequila, lime juice, triple sec, avocado, and cilantro into a blender, and blend until smooth. Pour into salt-rimmed margarita glasses to serve. Cheers!

PRIZES THIS MONTH

So you know you want to get in on the 50/50...but now your tickets might win you door prizes, too. After the 50/50 drawing, we'll keep drawing tickets to give away more items.



This month, we've got a set of Southern Tervis glasses, a Jimmy Buffett Trivia Book, and more.



And then there's the drawing for the member's prize too! This month it's a \$25 gift certificate, courtesy of Dock 633.

DONATIONS

From our August Phlocking, we collected 73 lbs. of non perishables. Earlier in the summer, we participated in the Cereal for Summer program through the Lake Placid Police Department. Remember, we party with a purpose...helping others.

DEADLINE

Got a story you wanna tell? Do you have pics that deserve to be seen? Is there something you'd like to see in the newsletter? All your stuff needs to get to us BEFORE the 15th of the month. Trisha *trishaonislandtime@yahoo.com*

